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SUBJECT: JAPANESE FISHERY MISSIONS TO U.S.

1. PLANS ARE UNDERWAY FOR MISSIONS TO THE U.S. BY FISHERY-ORIENTED LDP DIET MEMBERS (WEEK OF JULY 19) AND PRIVATE INDUSTRY REPRESENTATIVES (JULY 27-AUGUST 3). ACCORDING FONOFF, JAPANESE EMBASSY WASH. REPORTED JULY 9 THAT KEY STATE, COMMERCE, AND CONGRESSIONAL OFFICIALS IN FISHERY AFFAIRS WILL BE AVAILABLE TO MEET DIET MEMBERS WEEK JULY 19 AND THAT IT IS PROCEEDING WITH ARRANGEMENTS. AT PRESENT, DIET MISSION, WHICH WILL BE LED BY ZENKO SUZUKI, CHAIRMAN OF THE 200-MEMBER DIETMEN'S LEAGUE FOR PROMOTION OF FISHERY POLICY, PLANS TO VISIT WASHINGTON D.C. ONLY. THE INDUSTRY MISSION, TO BE LED BY JAPAN FISHERY ASSN CHAIRMAN TOMOYOSHI KAMENAGA, WILL SPEND JULY 27-29 IN JUNEAU, ALASKA, AND AUG. 1-3 IN SEATTLE, WASHINGTON. THE INDUSTRY GROUP WILL CONCENTRATE ON CONTACTS WITH MEMBERS AND PROSPECTIVE MEMBERS OF THE PACIFIC AND NORTH PACIFIC REGIONAL MANAGEMENT COUNCILS TO BE ESTABLISHED UNDER THE NEW U.S. FISHERY CONSERVATION LAW. IN ADDITION TO KAMENAGA, PARTICIPANTS IN INDUSTRY MISSION WILL BE PRESIDENTS OR VICE PRESIDENTS OF FIVE FISHING COS. (TAIYO, NIPPON SUISAN, NICHIRO, KYOKUYO, AND HOKO), THREE REPRESENTATIVES (ONE EACH FROM HOKKAIDO AND AOMORI AND MIYAGI PREFECTURES) AND THE CHAIRMAN, SHINJI ENDO, OF THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF MEDIUM TRAWLERS (350-TON TRAWLERS HEAVILY INVOLVED IN BERING SEA POLLOCK FISHERY), AND CHAIRMAN HIROSHI TOMINAGA OF JAPAN DEEP-SEA TRAWLERS ASSN. (REPRESENTS INTERESTS UNCLASSIFIED

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OF LARGE FISHING COS.)

2. ACTION REQUESTED: FOR REPLY TO FISHERY AGENCY QUERY ON BEHALF OF INDUSTRY MISSION, EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE NAMES OF REGIONAL MANAGEMENT COUNCIL NOMINEES (AND IF AVAILABLE AND MEMBERS ALREADY SELECTED) FROM WASHINGTON, OREGON, AND IDAHO, NAMES OF U.S. FISH AND WILD LIFE SERVICE DIRECTORS WHO WILL SERVE AS NON-VOTING MEMBERS OF THE TWO PACIFIC COUNCILS, AND NMFS REGIONAL DIRECTORS AND PRINCIPAL STATE FISHERY MANAGEMENT OFFICIALS FROM WASHINGTON, OREGON, AND IDAHO WHO WILL BE VOTING MEMBERS OF THE COUNCILS.

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